

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

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ORIG : James Q. Reber/cw

UNJT : DPD-DD/P

EXT : [REDACTED]

DATE : 27 January 1959

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TO : [REDACTED]

FROM : DIRECTOR

CONF : DPD (1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8)

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DHD TOR: 1431Z 27 JAN 59

1. ACTION: REBER

2. BISSELL

3. O.P.S.

4. TIDWELL

5. LUNDAHL

6.

7.

8.

OUT 89894

ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE

CITE: [REDACTED]

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REFS: A. [REDACTED] 5734 (OUT 89327)

B. [REDACTED] 8022 (IN 03505)

1. FULLY UNDERSTAND CRITICAL CONSIDERATION AFFORDED ALL REQUIREMENTS BY [REDACTED] COMMITTEE AND INTENDED NO CRITICISM OR REFLECTION ON THAT HIGHLY ESTEEMED GROUP. WE HAVE NO CONCERN THAT REGARD AND FEEL OUR EXCHANGE PROCEDURES, WHEN UTILIZED BY ALL CONCERNED, WORKING IN EMINENTLY SATISFACTORY MANNER. PLEASE CONVEY THIS SENTIMENT

2. REF A WAS PROMPTED BY RECEIPT OF CABLE FROM [REDACTED] REQUESTING OVERFLIGHT AND COVERAGE OF TARGETS IN ALBANIA, ACCORDING TO THE MESSAGE, THIS REQUIREMENT HAD BEEN LEVIED [REDACTED] AND SO FAR AS IS KNOWN HERE WAS NOT CLEARED WITH OR SANCTIONED BY [REDACTED] COMMITTEE. THIS, OF COURSE,

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IS NOT IN ACCORDANCE WITH PROCEDURES AGREED UPON IN [REDACTED]
 MEETING. FEEL CERTAIN THAT IF [REDACTED] WERE AWARE THIS
 REQUIREMENT HE WOULD HAVE EVALUATED, JUSTIFIED, AND
 FORWARDED THROUGH PROPER CHANNEL.

3. OUR FEELING IS THAT POSSIBLY THERE IS LACK OF COMMU-
 NICATION AND/OR FULL UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN [REDACTED] COMMITTEE
 [REDACTED] AND RESULTANT UNAWARENESS ON
 PART OF LATTER OF EXHAUSTIVE DISCUSSIONS AND METICULOUS CARE
 WITH WHICH SYSTEM FOR SUBMITTING REQUIREMENTS WAS SET UP.
 BELIEVE SOME ACTION NECESSARY TO CONDITION THINKING OF LATTER
 GROUP SO THEY WILL RELY ON [REDACTED] COMMITTEE IN SAME MANNER
 THAT OPERATIONS HERE RELIES ON THE ARC. REBER [REDACTED] TEAM
 MIGHT PROVE CATALYST BRING ABOUT THIS HAPPY STATE BY HOLDING
 MEETINGS WITH REPS BOTH GROUPS PRESENT DURING WHICH REVIEW
 OF ESTABLISHED SYSTEM COULD BE MADE AS WELL AS PRELIMINARY

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PLANNING FOR ANNUAL [REDACTED] REQUIREMENTS CONFERENCE
TO BE HELD LATER DATE.

4. BELIEVE THIS STEP WOULD STRENGTHEN [REDACTED] GROUP
AND CONVINCE ALL PARTICIPANTS WE LOOK SOLELY TO THAT BODY
AS FINAL COORDINATOR AND TRANSMITTER ALL [REDACTED] REQUIRE-
MENTS. WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR COMMENTS.
END OF MESSAGE

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Ops DPD-DD/P)

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